

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of  
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SHEET MATERIAL AND METHOD  
OF MAKING

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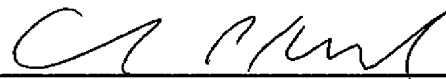
**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.17 AND 1.136**

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- ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of 1 month from the expiration date of the shortened time period set by the Notice of Appeal filed September 05, 2007.
- ☐ Applicants petition for a further extension of month from the expiration date of the extension requested by Applicants in the Request dated .

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Respectfully submitted,



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